

HISTORY

Located in the Town of Waukesha, on the river, which shares its name, Fox River Park, is full of mature woodlands, wetlands and many species of wild flowers. You'll feel like you're in the northern woods of Wisconsin without leaving Waukesha County. The 262 acre park represents an outstanding area for providing a feeling of wilderness and solitude. No matter what time of the year one visits the park, the view and activity is ever-changing: spring brings delicate wildflowers; summer produces a wooded canopy for a hike through the forest; fall offers a breath taking color display and winter donates snow that glistens in the sun. The abundance of wildlife provides great opportunities for nature study and the exploration of the natural world. Many wildflowers and bird species can be viewed along the trails that wind through the park. The miles of paved trails draw hikers, bikers and rollerbladers throughout the summer to offer a variety of trail experiences.

RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- **Walking:** Walk the paved trail that winds through the park and along the river in both wooded and open areas. This trail is great for families out on a leisurely walk.
- **Biking:** Your family and friends will enjoy biking the paved trails while taking in the scenic wonders of the park.
- **Rollerblading:** Enjoy rollerblading the paved trails while getting a great workout from the hilly terrain.
- **Picnicking:** Come for a quiet picnic at one of our family picnic areas or reserve a picnic area with a covered pavilion for your family reunion or business party.
- **Fishing:** Bring your fishing pole for an ideal family-oriented fishing opportunity from the edge of the Fox River. We encourage and support the catch and release of fish, so that many people can enjoy the excitement and thrill of catching fish from the river.
- **Hiking:** Experience nature by hiking year around through the wooded trails that run along the Fox River. Many different levels for all hiking or walking enthusiasts.
- **X-Country Skiing:** Packed and tracked trails are available at Menomonee, Minooka, and Nashotah Parks.
- **Canoeing:** Fox River Park is a great location to launch your canoe. There is parking, drinking water, restrooms and picnic areas nearby.
- **Winter Hiking and Snowshoeing:** Enjoy the winter season on trails packed especially for winter hiking and snowshoeing.
- **Nature Play Area:** Enjoy slides built into the hillside, climbing web and boulder, and other nature inspired play experiences.

BUILDING RENTALS

- Three reservable picnic pavilions are available with electric, restrooms, fireplace, grill and sand volleyball.

FOX RIVER PARK
W264S4500 River Road
Waukesha, WI 53189
(262) 970-6690

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

- Park Hours - Sunrise to 10 p.m. year round.
- Daily entrance fee or yearly sticker required on all vehicles.
- Fires permitted in designated locations.
- Park only in designated lots.
- Hunting, shooting or trapping is not permitted.
- Liquor is not permitted - beer allowed by picnic permit only.
- Dogs must be leashed (6' maximum leash length).

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PARK FEES & RESERVATIONS
(262) 548-7801

www.waukeshacountyparks.com

For additional information and reservations contact:
Waukesha County Department of Parks
and Land Use

515 W. Moreland Blvd., AC 230
Waukesha, WI 53188

Phone (262) 548-7801 • Fax (262) 896-8071

Call our 24-hour recorded hot line
(262) 548-7800

TDD available (262) 896-8075

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

In case of emergency, dial 911. To contact
the Waukesha County
Sheriff's Department, dial (262) 548-7111



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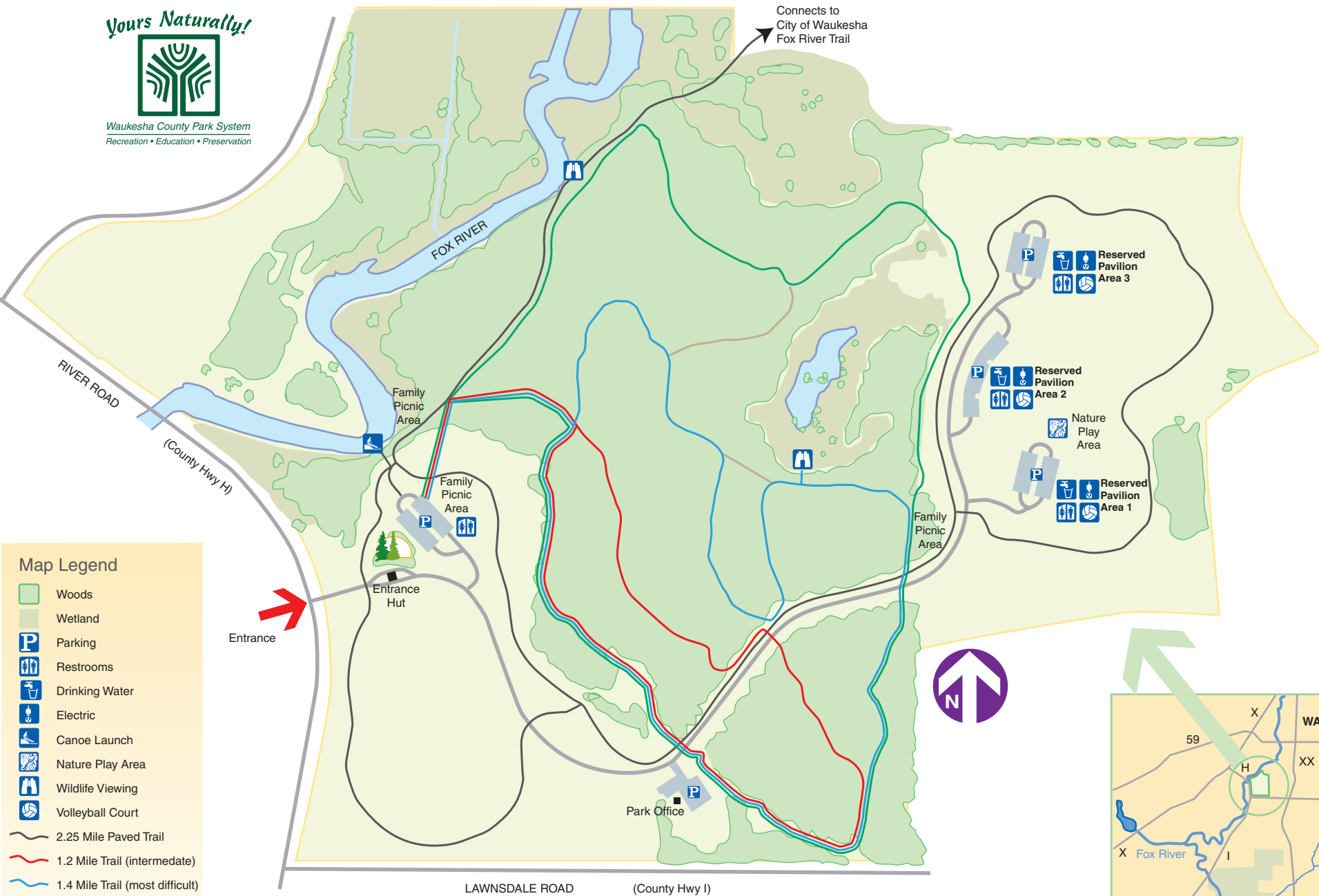


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Map Legend

- Woods
- Wetland
- Parking
- Restrooms
- Drinking Water
- Electric
- Canoe Launch
- Nature Play Area
- Wildlife Viewing
- Volleyball Court
- 2.25 Mile Paved Trail
- 1.2 Mile Trail (intermediate)
- 1.4 Mile Trail (most difficult)
- 1.7 Mile Trail (intermediate)
- Connector Trail
- Legacy Forest



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